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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT C

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

April 18, 2003

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application, without disclaimer or prejudice and prior to examination on the merits, as follows:

Amendment to the Title: Page 2
Amendment to the Draft: Page 3
Amendment to the Claims: Pages 4-6

Remarks follow on Page 7.

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Amendment to the Title:

Please replace the title of the invention in its entirety with the following:

-- Disc having a segment code for prohibiting a play control function during a playing of a video segment. --